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JOHN WALTER, Esq., Acting Chief Manager.

HONGKONG, August 28, 1886. 947

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
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- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked *On Hongkong Savings Bank Business* is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
JOHN WALTER,
Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, June 7, 1887. 754

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

WE have appointed Mr. ED. MILLER to SIGN BILLS OF LADING in our Name from this date.

SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, November 29, 1886. 2274

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned will ENTER into PARTNERSHIP on the 1st January 1887, as SHARE and GENERAL MANAGERS, under the Style or Firm of 'HUGHES & EZRA.'

E. JONES HUGHES.
N. N. J. EZRA.

Hongkong, December 31, 1886. 2492

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. LOUIS PRON in our Firm ceased on the 1st January, 1887.

HAHN, PRON & Co.

Mr. GEORGE SACHSE has been admitted as PARTNER in our Firm from the 1st of January, 1887.

HAHN, PRON & Co.
Hongkong, January 14, 1887. 81

Intimations.

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DIAMONDS
AND
DIAMOND JEWELLERY,
A Splendid Collection of the Latest London PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Under-Secretary is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, August 25, 1886. 1458

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

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All will be offered at the lowest possible wholesale prices in Japan.

INSPECTION RESPECTFULLY INVITED.

Hongkong, January 3, 1887. 16

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 4, SPECIAL.

CHINA SEA.

SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the WRECK of the CHINESE TRANSPORT *Wan-ching* lies sunk in Three Fathoms at low water, spring tides, with the Tunga Lightship bearing.

North 26° 24' West (Magnetic), Distance 7½ nautical miles.

A. M. BISBEE, Coast Inspector.

Imperial Maritime Customs, Shanghai, 26th January, 1887. 135

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, the 26th February, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to December 31st, 1886.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 13th to the 26th February, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
DAVID GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, January 19, 1887. 108

GRIFFITH'S NEW VIEWS OF HONGKONG.

NOW READY,
1, DUDDELL STREET.

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SODA WATER, LEMONADE, GINGERBREAD, RASPBERRYADE, &c., &c., &c.

At the same Moderate Charges.

Hongkong, June 9, 1885. 937

WINTER TIME TABLE.

THE KOWLOON FERRY.

STEAM-LAUNCH MORNING STAR.

Runs DAILY as a FERRY BOAT between Peddar's Wharf and Tsim-Tai-Tui at the following hours:—This Time Table will take effect from the 21st October, 1886.

WEEK DAYS. SUNDAYS.
Leave Peddar's Wharf, 7.00 A.M. Leave Tsim-Tai-Tui, 7.00 A.M.
8.00 " 8.25 " 7.30 " 8.00 "
8.50 " 9.15 " 8.00 " 8.15 "
9.40 " 10.20 " 8.30 " 8.45 "
10.40 " 11.05 " 11.00 P.M. NOON
11.15 " 12.25 P.M. 12.25 " 1.15 P.M.
12.45 P.M. 1.00 " 1.25 " 1.55 "
1.25 " 1.55 " 2.25 " 2.55 "
2.25 " 2.55 " 3.25 " 3.55 "
3.25 " 3.55 " 4.10 " 4.25 "
4.10 " 4.25 " 4.50 " 5.10 "
4.50 " 5.10 " 5.25 " 5.40 "
5.25 " 5.40 " 5.55 " 6.15 "
5.55 " 6.15 " 6.30 " 6.45 "
6.30 " 6.45 " 7.00 "

* There will be no Launch on Monday and Friday, on account of coaling.

The above Time Table will be strictly adhered to, except under unavoidable circumstances. In case of stress of weather, no notice will be given of any stoppage.

Business Notices.

STANDARD BOOK WORKS.

HAVE RECEIVED FURTHER SHIPMENTS OF

NEW BOOKS.

THE Latest 1/- and 2/- NOVELS. NEW ANNUALS.

HOOD'S, GREENAWAY'S, and THE ILLUSTRATED ALMANACS for 1887.

LETIT'S DIARIES for 1887.

MORE SKETCHES, by CALDECOTT.

ASOP'S FABLES, with Modern Illustrations, by CALDECOTT.

All the NEW BOOKS as they appear.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, January 4, 1887. 19

THE BON MARCHE.

(CHEAP MARKET.)
ANNOUNCING THE STAG HOTEL (Next Door).
CONSISTING OF A STOCK OF FANCY AND USEFUL ARTICLES, At Cash Prices and for Cash only.

TOBACCOES, CIGARS, BOOKS, NOVELS, MUSIC, CLOCKS, and a varied Stock of FANCY GOODS of all kinds.

BON MARCHE, next door to THE STAG HOTEL.

Hongkong, September 8, 1886. 1730

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RESPECTFULLY CALL ATTENTION TO THEIR

LARGE EXTENSION OF PREMISES.

SEE QUEEN'S ROAD ENTRANCE.

W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, January 3, 1887. 11

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

NEW FRENCH NOVELS—JUST RECEIVED.

AMOURS DE GARNISON—Rene. Dernieres Nouvelles—Cte. L. Tolstoi. Les Adresses—Joseph Montet. Les Chinois peints par un Francais—P. Autouin.

Guerre aux Mers—George Yautier. Les Trois Romans de Frederic Chopin—Comte Wodzinski.

Portraits D'Outre-Manche—Mme. Marie Drouart.

Harlequin—L'Auteur de L'Imperatrice Vanda.

La Couronne—Fernand Lafargue. Les Passades Beud—Th. Destoievaly.

Les Chinois peints par eux-mêmes—Col. Tcheng Ki Tang.

Une Cabotine—Julien Sernat. L'Œuvre de la Chair—Louis de Haesem.

Le Thé Chez Miranda—Morcas et Adam.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, January 15, 1887. 54

ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters,
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Hongkong, December 1, 1886. 2283

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The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABEE & HING KEE, Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885. 1612

MOUNT KELLETT.

TO LET, FURNISHED, The FIVE-ROOM HOUSE BANGKOK, TENNIS Court attached.

For Particulars, apply to Messrs. BIRD & PALMER, Architects.

Hongkong, January 15, 1887. 88

TO LET.

WITH immediate occupation the Commodious PREMISES known as the P. & O. OLD OFFICES, lately in the occupation of the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

For further Particulars, apply to the Undersigned.

E. L. WOODIN, Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, November 22, 1886. 2220

TO LET.

ROOMS in 'COLLIER CHAMBERS' No. 16, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, December 3, 1886. 682

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co's CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts.....\$20 per Case of 1 doz. Pints.....\$21 " " 2 "

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Baxter's Celebrated 'Barley Bree' WHISKY.—\$7½ per Case of 1 doz.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, July 18, 1884. 1187

Intimations.

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Forty-First Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd February, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 26th Instant to the 2nd February, inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
T. ARNOLD, Secretary.

Hongkong, January 15, 1887. 72

DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

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Discount to missionaries and Families. Sole Address.

2, DUDDELL STREET. (Next to the New Oriental Bank.)

Hongkong, January 12, 1886. 66

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY,

the 20th January, 1887, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, SUNDRI JAPANESE WARE,

comprising:—SATSUMA, KANDA, IMARI, KOTO, and TOKIO Vases, Jars, Plates, EXCESS BURNERS, TEA and COFFEE SETS, BONE-SHELL WARE, ENAMELED WARE, GOLD and SILVER INLAID BRONZES, EMBROIDERIES, and EMBROIDERED SCARVES.

BLACKWOOD CARVED INLAID, PANEL CARVINGS and BRASS, &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMISTEAD, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, January 25, 1887. 133

INSURANCES.

NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks on First Class Goods at 1 per cent. net premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 19, 1881. 938

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS of the above Company, are authorized to Insure against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882. 14

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE)

CAPITAL.—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1887. 100

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF His Majesty King George The First, A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

Marine Department. Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.

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Life Department. Policies issued for sums not exceeding \$5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872. 499

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